HOUSE BILL 299 By Kernell

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 6-53-105 and Title 8, Chapter 3, Part 2, relative to certification of certain actions of home rule municipalities to the secretary of state.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 6-53-105, is amended by adding the following new subsection:

(d) A copy of any home rule charter which is drafted, or any amendment to a home-rule charter which is adopted, shall be certified by the chief executive officer of the municipality and delivered to the secretary of state.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 8, Chapter 3, Part 2, is amended by adding the following new section:

Section 8-3-205. A copy of any ordinance adopted by a home rule municipality which amends or repeals, or has the effect of amending or repealing, a private act which was part of the charter of that municipality, shall be certified by the presiding officer of the municipal governing body and transmitted to the secretary of state.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect July 1, 2005, the public welfare requiring it.